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SUBJECT:BRAZINSKAS, PRANAS AND ALGIRDAS

REF: ROME 11559 AND PREVIOUS

1. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED FOR EMBASSY'S GUIDANCE IN ANTICIPATION OF POSSIBLE INQUIRIES BY BRAZINSKAS OR PERSONS ASSISTING THEM REGARDING TRANSIT VISAS TO ENABLE THEM TO TRAVEL TO COUNTRY OF RESETTLEMENT VIA UNITED STATES.

2. AS EMBASSY AWARE, AT SUCH TIME AS ALIENS APPLY FOR VISAS, CASES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO DEPARTMENT FOR AN ADJUDICATION OF ELIGIBILITY. THIS REQUIREMENT APPLIES TO TRANSIT VISAS AS WELL AS OTHER CATEGORIES OF VISAS. IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES RE TRANSIT VISAS EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO PERSUADE ALIENS TO FLY DIRECT TO COUNTRY OF RESETTLEMENT AND AVOID VISA APPLICATIONS IN LIGHT OF COMPLEX DIFFICULTIES INCLUDING THE NECESSITY TO DETERMINE  
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WHETHER ALIENS INELIGIBLE UNDER SECTION 212(A)(9) OF INA

FOR HOMICIDE AND ALLIED OFFENSES. IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE TO EMPHASIZE THAT SEVERAL MONTHS MAY BE REQUIRED FOR RESOLUTION OF ELIGIBILITY AND NO GUARANTEES CAN BE GIVEN AS TO OUTCOME.

3. FYI DEPARTMENT'S POSITION ON TRANSIT VISA APPLICATIONS BY BRAZINSKAS WAS FURNISHED AMEMBASSY ANKARA IN JANUARY 1975 IN RESPONSE TO QUERY FROM MRS. RUDIS IN CONNECTION WITH RESETTLEMENT POSSIBILITY IN CENTRAL AMERICA END FYI. KISSINGER

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